

# **LIST OF CURRENT FISH CONSUMPTION ADVISORIES** **Effective March 23, 1999**

|                                      |                         |                                  |                                                 |                                                                                          | Species Affected Under Current Advisories and Consumption Categories |                                                  |                                                      |                                          |
|--------------------------------------|-------------------------|----------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------|------------------------------------------------------|------------------------------------------|
| Name of Waterbody                    | Pollutant(s) of Concern | Source(s) of Pollutant           | Affected Area (Miles)                           | Date(s) Advisory Issued                                                                  | One meal/week <sup>1</sup>                                           | One meal/month <sup>1</sup>                      | Six meals/year <sup>1</sup>                          | Do not eat                               |
| Kanawha River (O-20)                 | Dioxin                  | Unknown                          | From mouth of Coal River to Pt. Pleasant (46.0) | Issued: 3/1/86<br>Reissued: 2/28/91, 4/6/94                                              |                                                                      |                                                  |                                                      | Bottom Feeders                           |
| Pocatalico River (K-29)              | Dioxin                  | Unknown                          | Lower two miles                                 | Issued: 3/1/86, All fish<br>Revised: 4/6/94                                              |                                                                      |                                                  |                                                      | Bottom Feeders                           |
| Armour Creek (K-30)                  | Dioxin                  | Unknown                          | Lower two miles                                 | Issued: 3/1/86, all fish<br>Reissued: 2/8/91<br>Revised: 4/6/94                          |                                                                      |                                                  |                                                      | Bottom Feeders                           |
| Ohio River (O)                       | PCBs, Dioxin            | Unknown                          | Entire length bordering WV (227)                | Issued: 9/7/89, All fish<br>Reissued: annually 1991- 1994, 1996-1999<br>Revised: 3/23/98 | Largemouth & Smallmouth Bass, Sauger                                 | White Bass, Hybrid Striped Bass, Freshwater Drum | Flathead catfish, Channel Catfish less than 17" long | Carp, Channel Catfish more than 17" long |
| Shenandoah River (S)                 | PCBs                    | Avtex, Front Royal, VA           | Entire length in WV (20)                        | Issued 9/7/89, all fish<br>Revised: 1/24/90<br>Reissued: 4/6/94                          |                                                                      |                                                  |                                                      | Carp, Suckers, Channel Catfish           |
| North Branch of Potomac River (P-20) | Dioxin                  | Westvaco Pulp Mill, Luke, MD     | Lower 50 miles                                  | Issued 9/7/89, Bottom feeders<br>Revised: 6/30/91, Brown Bullheads<br>Revised: 10/30/92  |                                                                      |                                                  |                                                      | Non-Sport fish species                   |
| Potomac River (P)                    | Dioxin                  | Westvaco Pulp Mill, Luke, MD     | From Piedmont to Cacapon R. (38)                | Issued 9/7/89, Bottom feeders<br>Revised: 6/30/91, Brown Bullheads<br>Revised: 10/30/92  |                                                                      |                                                  |                                                      | Non-Sport fish species                   |
| Flat Fork Creek (KP-33)              | PCBs                    | Spencer Transformer, Harmony, WV | Entire Length (5)                               | Issued: 2/4/91, Reissued: 4/6/94                                                         |                                                                      |                                                  |                                                      | Carp, Suckers, Channel Catfish           |

<sup>1</sup> Advisories are based on a meal size of 1/2 pound of fish.